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This paper is being submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 1, 2005.

An Election of Group I is made at page 2;
a Listing of Claims is presented starting at page 3; and
Remarks are presented at page 8.

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ELECTION

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 1, 2005, the Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-18 and 24-27, drawn to a pad and a method of polishing a surface, classified in class 451, subclass 41 for further prosecution in this case.

Claims 19-23 are drawn to the non-elected invention and may be cancelled by the Examiner upon the allowance of the claims directed to the elected invention.